

## MID-TERM EXAM (key)

1. List all lexical verbs and specify their type in the text above. 10

*1 EACH (8) + 1 PHRASAL + 1 MISSING OBJECT*

live-blog	<i>(mono)transitive</i>	read	<i>(mono)transitive</i>
watched	<i>(mono)transitive</i>	ask	<i>ditransitive</i>
handed out	<i>ditransitive (phrasal)</i>	won	<i>(mono)transitive</i>
love	<i>(mono)transitive</i>	tell	<i>ditransitive (missing object)</i>

2. Also, list all subjects, direct objects, indirect objects, and modifiers. 40

*1 BASIC (28) + 6 SUBJ-PRED (2 IF DO) + 1 (www) + 4 MOD + 1 (when...)*

<u>subjects</u>	it Eddy Murphy	I (6) [only 1 point] you	me and the Oscars who
<u>d-objects</u>	the Oscars the bloody Oscars	every supercast that 1,000-p. book <i>I.O.</i>	the B.P. award what
<u>i-objects</u>	to T.L.E. (who won what)	me	you
<u>modifiers</u>	now oldest bloody from c. to c. like a teenage R.B. (Best Picture) (when Eddy Murphy handed out the Best Picture award to T.L.E.)	tonight from start to stop teenage back in my s.d.'s (1,000-page)	obsessive-compulsively since 1988 in junior high when (Inside Oscar)
<u>s-pred.</u>	time	your man	oldest pals      ten

3. Finally, list all non-lexical verbs and say why you classify them as such. 15

*4 COPULA + 3 SUBJ. PRED. + 2 PERFECTIVE + 2 MODAL + 4 used to*

is	am	are	was	(copula & subj. pred.)
've				(perfective auxiliary)
used to	could (2)			(semi-modal / modal)

4. Draw the complete tree diagram for the fourth sentence.

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Obsessive-compulsively I've watched every supercast from start to stop since 1988  
 [CP when Eddie Murphy handed out the Best Picture award to The Last Emperor ]

